

In the Specification

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Please amend paragraph [0022], at pages 5-6, as follows:

[0022] Fig. 1 is a perspective view of a switch device in an exemplary embodiment of the present invention. Fig. 2A to Fig. 2D are fragmentary plan views of the switch device of Fig. 1. A plurality of wiring patterns (not shown) are formed on the top and rear surfaces of wiring board 11 (hereinafter "board"). Operating member 12 is mounted on the top surface of board 11 in a rotatable manner. Roughly disc-shaped knob (or user-operable member) 12A is formed on the upper part of operating member 12, and cam section 12B having protruding portion 13 on the outer periphery is formed on the lower part of operating member 12. Coupling section 28 is interposed between knob 12A and can section 12B. Protruding portion 13 is provided over a predetermined angle with respect to the axis of rotation of operating member 12. Switch 20 has lever 141 and lever 141 projects ~~is~~ in a swingable manner out of case 15 made of an insulating resin. Swinging motion of lever 141 around fulcrum 14A causes a movable contact (not shown) housed inside case 15 to be moved into or out of contact with fixed contacts (not shown). Switch 20 outputs a resultant electric signal via terminals 16A, 16B. Switch 20 is laid on the top surface of board 11 in a manner such that lever 141 engages cam section 12B of operating member 12. Also, terminals 16A, 16B are soldered to predetermined wiring patterns on board 11 and connected to detecting section 27 composed of electronic components including a microcomputer. Switch 21 is configured in a manner similar to switch 20 and has lever 142 and terminals 16C, 16D. Switch 20 and switch 21 are disposed 90° apart from each other with respect to the axis of rotation of operating member 12. The structure of each of the switches 20, 21 is disclosed in Japanese Patent Unexamined Publication No. H10-21788, for example.